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1. [] Met with Frank Slatinshek, Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, and reviewed with him in general the Agency budget as set forth in the OMB approval of 1 February. Slatinshek told me that this would be adequate for Chairman Nedzi, Intelligence Subcommittee, for the present.

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2. [] Chairman Lee Hamilton (D., Ind.), Representatives Ogden Reid (D., N.Y.) and John Buchanan (R., Ala.), Near East Subcommittee of House Foreign Affairs Committee, together with Mike Van Dusen and Everett Bierman, of the Committee staff, visited Headquarters for a current intelligence briefing on the Near East. See Memorandum for the Record.

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3. [] Senator Milton R. Young (R., N.Dak.) called to ask about reports of a purge of Agency personnel. I said I was not aware of anything of the sort but there had been several recent personnel changes and retirements the latter particularly involving senior officers who were approaching mandatory retirement age.

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